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Lewis S. Thompson Dies, Was CIA Aide

Lewis S. Thompson Jr., 61, an official of the CIA and the Air Force until his retirement in 1961, died Friday at his plantation home near Albany, Ga., after a long illness.

Born in New York City, Mr. Thompson graduated from after the war to serve with the Princeton University in 1926. CIA. In 1960 he was appointed

an official of the Combined ment a year later. Materials and Resources Board in London

He came to Washington He was associated with the Special Assistant to the Secre-Standard Oil Company of New tary of the Air Force for Jersey before World War II. Manpower, Personnel and the During the War, he was with Reserve Forces, a position the War Production Board as which he held until his retire-

Mr. Thompson held the Exceptional Service Award of the Air Force. He was a member of the Ivy Club, Princeton, Links Club, New York City and the Metropolitan Club, Washington.

He leaves his wife, Loulie T. Thompson; a daughter, Mrs. Francis G. Gray, of Dedham, Mass.; two sons, Lewis S. III, of Albany, Ga., and Walter G., of Buenos Aires, Argentina; his mother, Geraldine L. Thompson of Red Bank, N.J. a sister, Elizabeth T. Babcock, of Woodbury, N.Y. and four drandchildren was a sister of the control of grandchildren